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Alexandra Blasi, Executive Secretary

Laura Kelly, Governor

August 6, 2021

Attn: Anthony Spyropoulos National Medical Equipment, LLC 807 Business Parkway Richardson TX 75081

RE: Case No. 21-136

Dear Mr. Spyropoulos:

Enclosed you will find a Summary Order issued by the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (Board) in the above-referenced matter. Please read the order in its entirety.

If you disagree with the findings of fact, you have the right to request a hearing. Instructions for filing a written request are included under the "Notices" section of the order. Hearings are held before the full Board during their regularly scheduled quarterly meetings.

According to KSA 65-1627h, the Board is required to recoup the costs of administrative hearings when the decision is adverse to the licensee. These costs may include charges for services rendered by the Board's disciplinary counsel, an administrative law judge, and, if applicable, a court reporter.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact the Board at Pharmacy.Compliance@ks.gov.

Sincerely,

Kansas Board of Pharmacy

Enclosure

BEFORE THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

In the Matter of)	
)	Case No. 21-136
National Medical Equipment, LLC)	
)	
Applicant)	

SUMMARY ORDER OF DENIAL

NOW, on this 6th day of August 2021, comes before the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (the "Board"), through its Executive Secretary, the matter of National Medical Equipment, LLC. ("Applicant").

Pursuant to the authority granted to the Board by the Kansas Pharmacy Act, K.S.A. 65-1625, et seq., and in accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act, K.S.A. 77-501, et seq., the Board enters this Summary Order of Denial in the above-captioned matter. After reviewing the application materials and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, the Board makes the following findings, conclusions, and order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. On August 3, 2020, the Board received a Applicant's application for registration as a durable medical equipment provider in the State of Kansas ("Applicant's Application").
- 2. On October 8, 2020, the Board sent Applicant an email requesting several required information items that were missing from Applicant's application, specifically an inspection report and detailed ownership information.
- 3. On December 21, 2020, Applicant sent additional, hand-written application forms to the Board but did not provide the inspection or ownership information.
 - 4. On April 22, 2021, the Board sent a final letter to Applicant's address of record

requesting the above information and providing a response deadline of May 22, 2021.

5. To date, the Board has not received the required inspection report or ownership information from Applicant that would serve to complete their application or any further correspondence.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1627(f)(8), the Board may deny the application of any durable medical equipment provider upon a finding that the durable medical equipment provider has failed to furnish to the Board any information legally requested by the Board.
- 2. Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1645(a) application for registration or permits under K.S.A. 65-1643, and amendments thereto, shall be made on a form prescribed and furnished by the Board. Applications for registration shall contain such information as may be required by the Board.
- 3. Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1643(m), it shall be unlawful for any person to sell or lease or offer for sale or lease durable medical equipment without first obtaining a registration from the Board.
- 4. The Board's application for registration as a durable medical equipment provider requires Applicant provide the most recent inspection report conducted within the past two years by the state of residence or the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy as well as all relevant ownership information for the Applicant. In addition, the application instructs that all forms shall be typed or they will not be accepted by the Board.
- 5. Applicant's failure to provide the Board with the required application information and in a typed format are bases to deny Applicant's Application pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1645(a).
- 6. Applicant's failure to supply the Board with the requested documentation is a basis to deny Applicant's Application pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1627(f)(8).

ORDER

Based upon the foregoing findings of fact and conclusions of law, Applicant's Application is

hereby DENIED.

NOTICES

Respondent is hereby notified as follows:

1. Respondent may request a hearing pursuant to the Kansas Administrative Procedure

Act by filing a written request with the Kansas Board of Pharmacy, 800 SW Jackson, Suite 1414,

Topeka, KS 66612-1231, within 15 days after service of this Order. If the outcome of the hearing

is adverse to Respondent, costs of the proceedings shall be charged to Respondent.

2. If a hearing is not requested as described above, the Order shall become a final order

of the Board, effective upon the expiration of the time to request a hearing.

3. Within 15 days after entry of a final agency order, either party may file a petition for

reconsideration pursuant to K.S.A. 77-529.

4. Within the time limits established in K.S.A. 77-613, either party may seek judicial

review of a final agency order, pursuant to K.S.A. 77-613. The agency officer designated to receive

service of a petition for judicial review is:

Alexandra Blasi

Executive Secretary

Kansas Board of Pharmacy

800 SW Jackson, Suite 1414

Topeka, KS 66612

IT IS SO ORDERED.

8/6/2021	
Date	

Alexandra Blasi, JD, MBA Executive Secretary Kansas Board of Pharmacy

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did, on the 6th day of August 2021, deposit in business mail a copy of the foregoing Summary Order, which is then placed in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, properly addressed to the following:

National Medical Equipment, LLC 807 Business Parkway Richardson TX 75081

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